Axecutive Proclamation State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, JoAnn Oakland is a rare and precious person, whose inspiring love for life and genuine affection for people have made our sad times more bearable and our good times more memorable; and,

WHEREAS, My official Family agreed long ago that if any young man ever had any designs upon Jo Oakland, he had better be an extraordinary water walker--or else; and,

WHEREAS, Rodger Leonard is universally respected by his friends and professional colleagues as a good and decent man, whose intelligence and diligence have earned him the unqualified respect of all who have come to know him; and,

WHEREAS, After reconciling myself that I would not be losing a special friend, but gaining a new Family member, I have become an enthusiastic supporter of this proposed union; and,

WHEREAS, My buddies, Brett and Brian, are eagerly anticipating this exciting new addition to their family; and,

WHEREAS, JoAnn Oakland and Rodger Leonard will speak the sacred vows of marriage at the First United Methodist Church in Pierre, South Dakota, on Saturday, the Twenty-fifth Day of September, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-two:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the Great State of South Dakota, do hereby publicly proclaim Saturday, September 25, 1982, as

RODGER AND JOANN DAY

in South Dakota, and I hope, personally and on behalf of my proud Family members, that Rodger and Jo will together receive the joy and love which they have given all of us.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Iwenty-fourth Day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Two

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

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